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# Bath salts aren't for the tub

#### State targets synthetic drug after Alton woman overdoses

#### **Chicago Tribune**

Following bans on salvia and synthetic marijuana, Illinois lawmakers now are trying to curb the latest store-bought choice of people looking to get high: bath salts.

These are not the Epsom salts that Aunt Ethel used to sprinkle in a warm tub, nor are they the soothing, fragrant bottles you pick up at the aroma-

Carrying comforting names such as "Blue Silk" and "Ivory Wave"—and labeled "not for human consumption"—these small packets sell for \$40 to \$60 a gram. They're marketed as bath salts but contain the synthetic drug methylenedioxypyrovalerone, or MDPV.

Users usually smoke or snort the substance, and the high is described as similar to feelings from methamphetamine or Ecstasy. The packets are sold legally over the counter at some liquor stores, tobacco shops and novelty stores from Chicago to rural towns across the state.

The push to prevent such sales accelerated last month after the drug caused what authorities say is its first suspected death in Illinois. A 28-year-old woman in Alton apparently overdosed on it, prompting that city to pass an emergency ban.

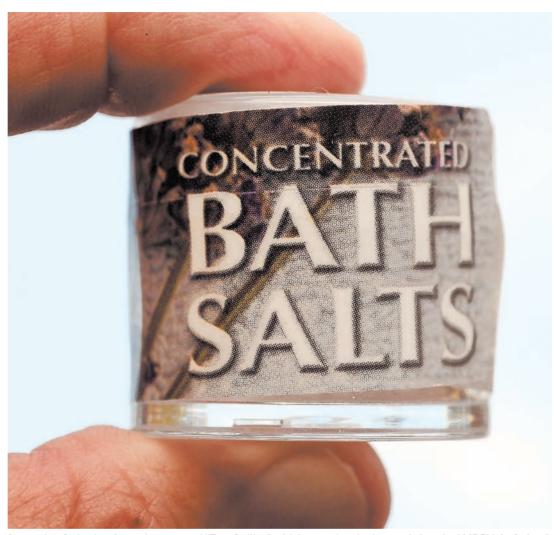
At the Capitol, both the House and Senate have approved separate measures outlawing MDPV and its derivatives. Sponsoring Sen. Jacqueline Collins said the Alton death shows the need to quickly get her bill to Gov. Quinn's desk.

"These designer drugs are causing deaths," said Collins (D-Chicago). "Unfortunately, the young lady in Alton had to lose her life.'

The powerful synthetic popped up on the drug scene late last year.

The Illinois Poison Center began getting calls in December from people who had taken the bath salts, which experts say can cause severe hallucinations, paranoia and psychotic episodes.

The drug has been linked to deaths around the country, including a Washington state soldier who authorities said appeared to have been using bath salts before



A sample of a bath salt product named "TranQuility," which contains the banned chemical MDPV. As federal officials prepare to ban fake marijuana, Illinois lawmakers are working to outlaw MDPV and its derivatives. The chemical-laced powder, which is sold as bath salts, has been linked to at least two deaths in the country—including one in Illinois—and dozens of emergency room visits. мст

he shot and killed his wife and himself last month.

At this point, 10 states, including Michigan, Kentucky, Florida and Louisiana, have passed legislation or used executive orders to outlaw the synthetics used to make the bath salts. Illinois and 24 other states, in-

cluding Missouri, Ohio and Kansas, have similar bans working their way through the legislative process. The American Association of Poison Control Centers reported 298 calls in 2010 and about 1,800 this year from 47 states and the District of Columbia.

### **MDPV** incident in Indiana

A 42-vear-old Indiana woman who authorities believe was high on bath salts trashed a hotel room Wednesday. Indiana State Police said Thursday.

Police said **Tammy Winter** of Demotte was sitting on a bed when they arrived at the hotel on State Road 114 near Rensselaer. rambling about evil spirits and needing to write on the walls of the room to protect her from the spirits.

A family member who was present told police that Winter was an abuser of bath salts. When snorted, bath salts cause hallucinations, police said.

Winter was arrested and charged with criminal mischief and resisting officers after she became combative and needed to be restrained at the Jasper County Jail, police said. Both are misdemeanors.





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#### CORRECTION

In the May 11 issue of RedEye, wine expert Paul Mabray's name was misspelled.

# Sense lacking in Common clamor

Conservative commentator Tucker Carlson lacks Common sense. The "Common" in this case being Lonnie Rashid Lynn Jr., a Grammy-winning rapper, actor, and native South Sider who launched the Common Ground Foundation to teach disadvantaged youths leadership skills.

He is also, according to **foxnation.com**, which this week linked to a post on Carlson's website, "vile."

At least that's the adjective the site assigned him after first lady Michelle Obama invited Common to perform at a White House poetry reading Wednesday.

A post about the so-called controversy went up this week on Carlson's website, prompting outcry from a chorus of conservative voices.

What formed the basis for hip-hop hyperbole that turned Common from an overwhelmingly socially conscious and rapper into the missing member of Three 6 Mafia?

Common's verses in a spoken word piece called "A Letter to the Law" from "Def Poetry Jam" circa 2007. Here is a sampling of what caused offense:

"Burn a Bush cos' for peace he no push no button," Common says in YouTube video of the appearance. "Killing over oil and grease/no weapons of destruction."

First off, "burn a Bush" is an obvious play off the known term bushburning, not an incitement to arson.

Second, as Jon Stewart pointed out in a stingily funny "Daily Show" segment Wednesday night, there are plenty of violent lyrics among Fox and its friends, from Ted Nugent to the venerable Johnny Cash.

Even if you (unfairly) believe Common's rhymes are different from Nugent's and Cash's works, you must consider the rap ratio. This poem is all commentators could cull from a 20-year rap career.

I'm surprised Fox didn't do a discography audit to turn up more relevant dirt.

They might have found "Go," in which he raps from the vantage point of a lothario seeking a threesome. That must mean Common is shacking up with some sister wives.

Let me stop playing around and inadvertently offering more ammo. Stunts like this are par for the political course, and public figures on both sides of the aisle have found fault with rap as a genre without even knowing the totality and diversity of its artists.

Yet the Carlson-backed rap rhetoric seems to take a step further than some—other than Ashley Judd—have dared in recent years.

If I thought it would prevent future misunderstandings, I'd give Carlson, Sarah Palin and other clueless commentators my number, Skype name and Gmail before their next bout of hip-hop bashing.

They could reach me day or night and I'd be ready with 15 years of rap reporting experience. Somehow, I doubt they'll accept.

That would require an actual desire to grasp their subject matter before going full metal jacket. As this Common "controversy" proves, understanding was never the goal.



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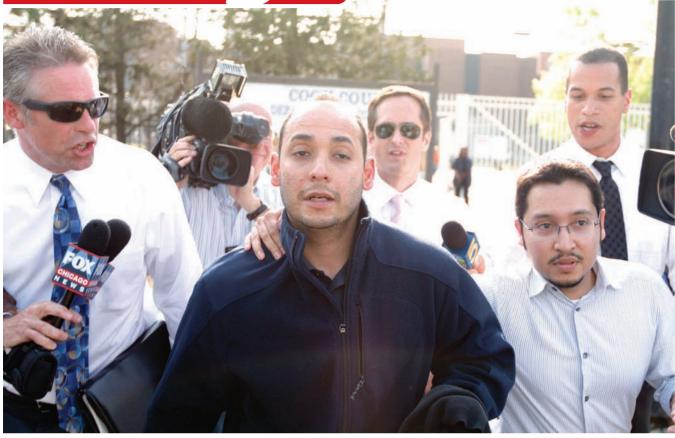


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Reporters surround Chicago police Officer Juan Vasquez (center) as he leaves jail Thursday evening. PHIL VELASQUEZ/TRIBUNE

# Attorneys: Accused officers aren't rapists

#### **Chicago Tribune**

Attorneys for two Chicago police officers accused of sexually assaulting a woman they picked up while on duty say the men



Clavijo

are guilty only of bad judgment.

"Paul Clavijo is not a rapist and should not be thought of as a rapist. To do that would be a terrible, tragic mistake," the officer's

attorney, Jed Stone, said after a bond hearing Thursday.

He called his client's actions "an indiscretion, not a crime."

The attorney for the other officer, Juan Vasquez, echoed that sentiment.

"Was a bad decision made? Certainly," attorney Dan Herbert said. "But it's not a

#### **BACKGROUND**

The officers are accused of picking up the woman in their marked SUV on March 30 and driving to a liquor store, prosecutors said. While Vasquez was in the store buying vodka, Clavijo had sex with the woman in the front seat of the vehicle, they said.

They then drove to the woman's Rogers Park apartment, where they played strip poker and both officers sexually assaulted her, according to prosecutors.

criminal act."

The two Town Hall District officers, both 38, are charged with criminal sexual assault and official misconduct. Clavijo is also charged with criminal sexual assault and official misconduct for a March 10 incident involving a different woman.

Both officers were stripped of their police powers after the explosive allegations came to light.

Vasquez exited Cook County Jail late Thursday, declining to comment to reporters before he jumped into an SUV.

A lawyer for a woman allegedly raped by the police officers blasted the contention by the officers' attorneys that their clients had merely used poor judgment, saying that was an "outrageous way to spin this."

"The allegation is that they sexually assaulted this young woman," said attorney Jon Loevy, who represents the alleged victim from March 30. "And that goes far beyond bad judgment and indiscretion."

Loevy acknowledged the woman was intoxicated that night but denied she willingly took part in a game of strip poker or consented to sex with Clavijo and Vasquez.

"These are on-duty police officers. ... She was a young woman who was not in a situation where she had a choice," Loevy said.



# **Sportscaster found dead**

#### **Chicago Tribune**

WMAQ-Ch. 5 sportscaster Daryl Hawks, 38, was found dead in a hotel room Thursday morning in Atlanta. Hawks was covering the NBA playoff game between the Bulls and Atlanta Hawks.

An official from the Fulton County medical examiner's office said Hawks was pronounced dead at 11:48 a.m. at Emory University Medical Center.

The official said no further information would be released until after an autopsy, scheduled for Friday.

Atlanta police called Hawks' death a medical emergency and not a police call. His body was discovered after he did not appear for the Bulls' morning shootaround.

Paramedics were called and he was taken to a local hospital about 10:30 a.m., according to Atlanta police Sgt. Curtis Davenport.

Because there were no apparent criminal implications in the death, police weren't investigating the death, police said.

"There's no reason to suspect foul play," Davenport said.

Hawks, who joined the station in 2008, was married with three children.

In 2002, Channel 5 sports reporter Darrian Chapman died of a heart condition at age 37.

# Source: Biden on guest list for Emanuel's inauguration

Vice President Joe Biden  $w \bar{l} \bar{l}$  attend Mayor-elect Rahm Emanuel's inauguration Monday, a source said Thursday.

Emanuel, the former White House chief of staff, asked aldermen to hand over their Social Security numbers and those of their guests. That extra security precaution prompted speculation that a high-profile VIP would be in attendance.

The inauguration takes place at 10:30 a.m. Monday at Millennium Park's Pritzker Pavilion and is open to the public.

# Staff sets up shop at Obama's HQ

#### **Chicago Tribune**

While it has a dazzling view that overlooks Millennium Park and Lake Michigan, President Obama's re-election headquarters in downtown Chicago aren't necessarily much to look at on the inside, based on a quick tour offered Thursday by the campaign.

Occupying a whole floor of about 50,000 square feet in the Prudential building that is formally known as One Prudential Plaza, the campaign setup features long rows of tables for dozens of staffers and volunteers. But the campaign still is moving into the space and only a few dozen staffers were there, working on laptop computers or on the phone.

Only a select few have actual office space, including Jim Messina, the former deputy White House chief of staff who serves as campaign manager, along with deputy campaign managers Jen O'Malley Dillon and Julianna Smoot.

The president has no formal office, but would use a conference room next to Messina's office. Campaign guru David Axelrod doesn't have an office, either.

As the first incumbent presidential re-election effort in decades to move its headquarters outside the Washington Beltway, there's plenty of symbolism in the campaign's move to Chicago, the president's hometown.

Aides have described it as an attempt to convey its interest in listening to real people's concerns rather than the echo chamber of D.C.

#### **Zanies owner dies**

Rick Uchwat, owner of the legendary Zanies comedy club in Old Town, died Wednesday after a lengthy battle with lung cancer. He was 64. Founded in 1978, the club has hosted famous names including Jay Leno and Jerry Seinfeld.

#### Lobbyist testifies in Blago trial

Another day and another major witness at the retrial of Rod Blagojevich on federal corruption charges, as lobbyist and onetime Blagojevich insider John Wyma took the stand Thursday afternoon. Wyma testified on Blagojevich's dealings with Children's Memorial Hospital. TRIBUNE

# Reborn this way



"I live as a female, I feel female and everybody treats me that way, but this document doesn't reflect that," says Lauren Grey, one of the transgender people suing for the right to change the gender on their birth certificate. MICHAEL TERCHA/TRIBUNE

# Why seek a change?

Lauren Grey said the denial of a change on her birth certificate has made it impossible for her to get a passport that identifies her as a female, and has caused problems with her work as a graphic designer. She and a business partner applied for Women's Business Enterprise certification with the federal government, but they were denied because Grey's birth certificate says she is male.

# Transgender people sue Illinois for right to alter birth certificates

#### **Chicago Tribune**

Lauren Grey is, in all aspects of her life, a woman. Her driver's license reflects that, as does her name, her Social Security information and her appearance.

Still, her Illinois birth certificate says she's a man. She has requested that it be changed and provided a supporting affidavit from the doctor who performed breast augmentation and facial feminization surgeries on her. But, according to a lawsuit filed on behalf of her and other transgender people this week by the American Civil Liberties Union, the state has denied her request, saying transgender people in Illinois must have "genital reformation surgery" to have their birth certificates changed.

"I live as a female, I feel female and everybody treats me that way, but this document doesn't reflect that," Grey said. "I know that's not me, but I can't do anything about it."

The class-action lawsuit was filed Tuesday naming Damon Arnold, head of the Illinois Department of Public Health, as the defendant. The suit claims that for years the state would change people's gender on their birth certificates even if they had not had any form of genital surgery, but that the policy seemed to change "in or about 2005."

Kelly Jakubek, a health department spokeswoman, said in an email that she could not comment on pending litigation and would not directly clarify whether the state has made any change in policy. She referenced a "Notice of Proposed Amendments" on the department's website, which includes wording that gender change on an Illinois birth certificate requires genital surgery.

Longtime activist Rick Garcia said he, Illinois Gender Advocates and other LGBT rights groups have been meeting with state officials about this issue for several months. He said he was surprised to see the lawsuit filed, as he believes the state will soon do away with its genital surgery requirement.

Many professionals who work with people in the transgender community agree that gender is more a factor of what a person identifies with than the person's anatomy.

"Living in a particular gender is what really determines it, regardless of surgeries," said Randi Ettner, a clinical and forensic psychologist specializing in gender conditions. "Genitals don't make a person who they are."

# Let's see Captain Jack Sparrow pull this off

#### **Chicago Tribune**

Mary Kovats feared the worst as she scanned the rolling Lake Michigan waves for any sign of her husband and his two friends, who hadn't returned after their sailboat was caught in a violent thunderstorm.

"I thought they were dead," said Kovats, 48, an experienced sailor and rear commodore of

the Chicago Corinthian Yacht Club.

So she set out in a power boat from Montrose Harbor with two other members of the club in search of her husband, Peter.

After spotting the overturned sailboat about a half-mile south of the harbor's entrance, Kovats saw something else in the water.

"I saw something bobbing in the water

in the distance and I told the guy who was driving the boat," Kovats said Thursday. "We rushed over there, and it was Peter."

Kovats and the two men in her boat— Jacob Karlin and David Stix—soon found her husband's two friends and pulled all three aboard before racing back to Montrose Harbor. They were met at the dock by other yacht club members who had gathered blankets and clothing. Ambulances arrived moments later.

Peter Kovats, 62, was taken to Advocate Illinois Masonic Medical Center in serious condition, Fire Department spokesman Larry Langford said. The other two men were treated at Illinois Masonic and released, a hospital spokeswoman said.

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#### Report: Facebook launched negative PR attack on Google

Facebook hired public relations firm Burson-Marsteller to enlist reporters to write stories that would portray its rival Google in an unfavorable light, according to the firm and a journalist whom it approached.

#### **Break in AIDS research**

People infected with the AIDS virus who took antiretroviral drugs cut the risk of spreading the infection to their uninfected sexual partner, U.S. government researchers said Thursday. Findings suggest protection is strongest when drugs are taken early.

#### **Corps still fighting floods**

With the overflowing Mississippi River bearing down on New Orleans, where the water level was already at flood stage, the Army Corps of Engineers said Thursday it is opening more bays along a major spillway.

#### **Drone fires on militants**

A U.S. drone aircraft fired missiles at militants in Pakistan on Thursday, killing eight of them, Pakistani officials said. It was the third such attack since U.S. forces killed Osama bin Laden in his Pakistani hideout.

#### Galliano headed to trial

Disgraced fashion designer John Galliano will stand trial June 22 in Paris for hurling anti-Semitic insults at people in a Parisian bar in a case that already has cost him his job at luxury label

#### **Hipster upheaval?**

Pabst Brewing Co. reportedly is leaving its Woodridge, III., headquarters for L.A. by the end of summer. The news was announced to employees Wednesday, according to an email obtained by the Chicagoist blog.

#### **THE DIGIT**

Syrian authorities have killed more than 700 people and rounded up thousands more while shelling cities indiscriminately in their military crackdown on protesters, an international jurists' body said Thursday in Geneva.



These sunglasses are among the personal effects of Ted Kaczynski-aka the Unabomber (inset)—that will be sold via an online auction, u.s. MARSHALS HANDOUT PHOTO

# You can own part of Unabomber history

Following a lengthy court battle, the U.S. Marshals will auction "Unabomber" Ted Kaczynski's personal effects online beginning next week, with proceeds to compensate some of his victims.

The online auction will begin Wednesday and run through June 2, the Marshals said in a statement Thursday. Among about 60 items up for sale are personal documents such as driver's licenses, birth certificates and checks; academic transcripts; typewriters; and "more than 20,000 pages of written documents, including the original handwritten and typewritten versions" of Kaczynski's manifesto, authorities said.

The auction will be conducted by the General Services Administration, the Marshals said. A catalog of the items will be available on the GSA's auction website

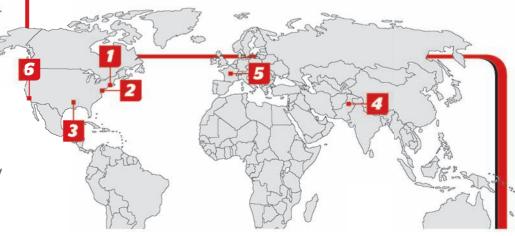
The FBI dubbed Ted Kaczynski the "Unabomber" as shorthand for his early targets-universities and airlines.

when the sale begins.

Kaczynski, now 68, killed three people and wounded 23 others in a string of bombings from 1978-1995. He was arrested in 1996, pleaded guilty in 1998 and is serving a life term in the federal "Supermax" prison in Florence, Colo.

Four of his victims are owed \$15 million in court-ordered restitution; the others opted not to seek restitution from him.

The 9th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals approved the auction plan in 2009, said Steve Hirsch, a San Francisco attorney who represented the four victims in the court proceedings regarding the auctions.





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When you compile the most wins in the NBA's regular season, as the Bulls did this year, you're bound to turn a ton of heads. Heads of people who vote on awards. Awards that can be used to impress the late-night denizens of River North. Or maybe that's just what Patrick Kane would do.

Either way, the Bulls have had plenty to celebrate in the past week: **Derrick Rose**: MVP and a member of the All-NBA first team

**Tom Thibodeau:** coach of the year **Gar Forman:** executive of the year

Joakim Noah: all-defensive second team

But with awards come heightened expectations, and the Bulls had plenty to prove Thursday night in Game 6 of their playoff series against Atlanta.

How'd they do? RedEye keeps tabs on the award winners—and then some.

#### **FIRST QUARTER**

ROSE: The Bulls' MVP was relatively quiet, scoring five points on a pretty reverse layup and a 3-pointer at 1:31 that pushed the lead to 10.

THIBODEAU: The Bulls talked about starting fast—but they needed to execute, and they did. Credit the stickler-for-details coach for keeping the Bulls focused.

FORMAN: The centerpiece of the organization's offseason plans, Carlos Boozer proved his worth with seven of the team's first 11 points. He finished with nine points in the first. Nice signing, Gar. NOAH: Noah showed off his defense, blocking Josh Smith on one sequence with about 2:30 left in the quarter, and he held Atlanta center Jason Collins to just two points. SCORE: Bulls 27,

Atlanta 17

#### **SECOND QUARTER**

ROSE: Rose settled into more of a typical point guard role, directing the offense and dishing out assists. He scored just three points.

**THIBODEAU:** Perfect use of the bench and starters in this quarter. It was the productive rotation Bulls fans are used to seeing.

FORMAN: The start of the second was a showcase for Forman and the team's offseason signings as the Bench Mob of Kyle Korver, Ronnie Brewer, Omer Asik and C.J. Watson started along with Taj Gibson. And they held their own, maintaining the 10-point lead established by the starters. NOAH: Forced an Al Horford airball with about 4 minutes left with the Bulls leading by 17. Gonna be hard to come back when the Hawks can't hit iron. SCORE: Bulls 45, Atlanta 35

## THIRD QUARTER ROSE: Scored seven

but continued to get the offense going with four assists. THIBODEAU: Deftly used his Bench Mob again—and also kept the team from losing focus when the Hawks looked as though they were

going to eat into the

Bulls' lead.

FORMAN: The
Boozer whom the
Bulls pursued over
the summer continued to show up in the
third, scoring eight
points. And another
guy Bulls fans didn't
even know about
last season, Asik, had
a huge three-point

NOAH: Had a block on the defensive end that turned into a Rose fast break and three-point play. SCORE: Bulls 70, Atlanta 53

play and blunted the

effectiveness of Zaza

Pachulia.

#### **FOURTH QUARTER**

ROSE: Another quiet quarter for Rose. He scored four points and had two assists.

THIBODEAU: As he said he would, Thibodeau stuck with Korver and Boozer in the fourth—and it paid off with Korver hitting a 3. He's been cold, so the Bulls need him to heat up.

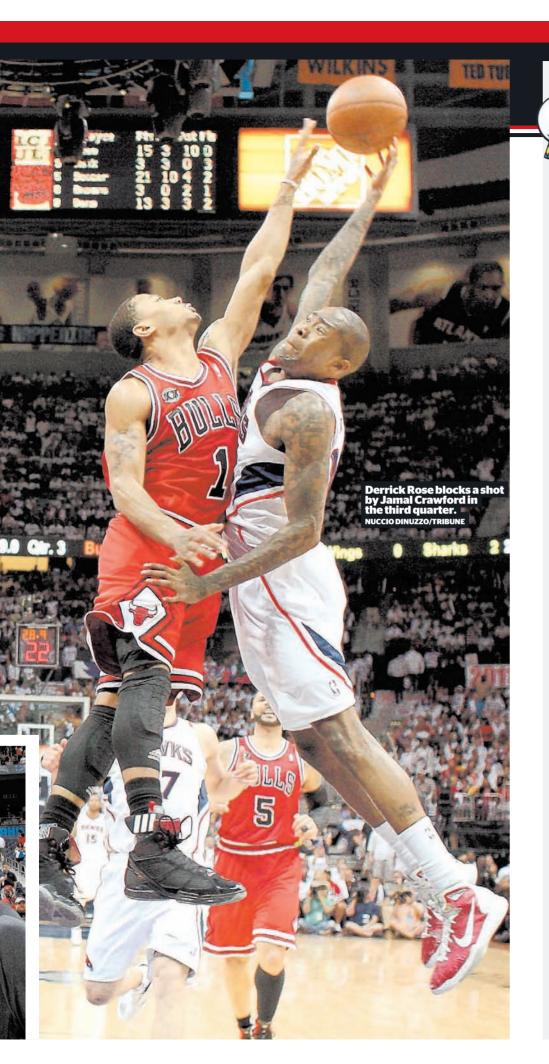
FORMAN: The quarter started with Asik continuing his mini-run and ended with C.J. Watson assisting on a Gibson layup. Forman had his hand in bringing all three to the Bulls.

NOAH: His Atlanta counterpart Collins scored just four, and Noah finished with three blocks.
SCORE: Bulls 93,
Atlanta 73

ABOVE RIGHT: Tom Thibodeau speaks to Taj Gibson during a break. RIGHT: Joakim Noah (left) and Carlos Boozer celebrate after their win. GETTYIMAGES PHOTOS







# MIAMI TREATE

I didn't do so well calling for that Bulls sweep of the Hawks, eh? No matter. The result is what counts. And I got that right.

Now, moving on to the Miami Heat. They are playing well, no doubt. But let's remember this: The Bulls swept them in the regular season. And in those three games, LeBron James and Dwyane Wade missed four final-moment clutch shots.

So without further ado, here now, my quick picks for the Bulls-Heat series.

BY WHIZZER, REDEYE

GAME 1: 7 p.m. Sunday at United Center, TNT Bulls don't come out flat like they did against Indiana and Atlanta. They do, however, flatten the Heat.

» Bulls 97, Miami 90

GAME 2: 7:30 p.m. Wednesday at United Center, TNT The Bench Mob outclasses the Heat's bench slobs.

» Bulls 91, Miami 88

GAME 3: 7:30 p.m. May 22 at Miami, TNT

For one day, at least, the Bulls can't take the Heat. » Miami 101. Bulls 84.

GAME 4: 7:30 p.m. May 24 at Miami, TNT

The Bulls take their talent to South Beach and take a commanding 3-1 series lead.

» Bulls 88, Miami 85

**GAME 5:** 7:30 p.m. May 26 at United Center, TNT

United they fall at the Madhouse. And Bulls fans go home mad.

» Miami 96, Bulls 83

GAME 6: 7:30 p.m. May 28 at Miami, TNT

It's a finals exam, and the Bulls pass with flying colors. » Bulls 100, Miami 92 Bulls win series 4-2

GAME 7: 7:30 p.m. May 30 at United Center\*, TNT \*Will not be necessary

#### A ROUNDUP OF PLAYOFF NEWS AND NOTES



#### **FIRST AND FOREMOST**

Stop us if you've heard this before: The Bulls' spectacular season has resulted in yet another award. On Thursday, Derrick Rose was named to the 2010-11 All-NBA first

team. He joins top vote-getter and lone unanimous choice LeBron James, Dwight Howard, Kobe Bryant and Kevin Durant. Joakim Noah and Luol Deng received votes but were not on the first or second team.

#### DR. D

A funny moment occurred at the Thursday morning shootaround when Brian Scalabrine introduced Keith Bogans to Dr. Jack Ramsay, the legendary former coach who directed the Trail Blazers to the 1977 NBA title. Scalabrine knew Ramsay had voted Bogans as his Defensive Player of the Year, which Bogans told Ramsay he appreciated. "I always vote for who I think makes the most defensive impact on the best defensive team," Ramsay told Bogans.

#### THE DIGIT

« Points Rose scored in the first half Thursday night.

#### QUOTABULL

We know they're a great team. They get so much attention for everything they do. But we know how tough they are."

-Derrick Rose on the Miami Heat



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from their trip out West ...

Why do people care about

the offseason?

Patrick Kane's personal life-in

hard after Wednesday's win?

How are you preparing?



PHIL THOMPSON

I don't know. Count her

**TRACY SWARTZ** 

Because she's going to come off the bench. GOOD GAWD THAT'S OPRAH'S MYEW-SICK!

I'm gonna mow the lawn.

Livin' the dream, folks.

Because they totes just

them.)

won the title! (Shh. don't tell

ALEX QUIGLEY

Sadly, she's way more popular than the NBA.

plagues Oprah's capable of. Checkin' out the talent I've got leftover oxygen tanks I didn't use up during the Blackhawks' run, so I'm set.

Cake.

JEN HEALY

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at the 10 a.m. Mass at St. Vincent de Paul ... er, praying. I mean.

**BAGBOY** 

Because it's their last win of the season-um. right?

... they'll only be 10 games

I think it's because bar own-

ers need to get their rev-

enue forecasting in order.

I don't know, but I hope

Three words: Ice. Cream.

Hondas, banishment to

the other side of the world,

Dr. Phil: They've seen the

... they'll be grateful for the Bulls. Bossman Reinsdorf has a distraction.

back. Blow it up already! it involves them taking a team pic in one of those Old West saloon backdrops.

Because he actually scores more when he's not distracted by hockey.

Know how the game gets turned off when her show's on? Well, that just went national

I'll use Bag Boy's bag to

know the diff.

much ...

winning!

get the butterflies out. Mr.

Shower Optional will never

Celebrating is fine, it was

the chants of "Who's the

Boston?" I found a bit

Come back?! That's the

only place they seem to be

The Internet just needs to

know if it's going to need

extra bandwidth.

rings.

By welcoming the Heat. The Hawks were soooo winter 2011.

A good threesome deserves a shindig, no?

... they'll launch their six-fan rotation.

Fans are just trying to make sure he doesn't forget how to score

I don't know, let's ask Natalie Labriola



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Cubs manager Mike Quade takes starting pitcher Casey Coleman out of the game against St. Louis on Thursday at Wrigley Field. GETTY IMAGES

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# **Out at home**

Truth be told, there was nothing particularly memorable about the 2,258th game of the Cubs-Cardinals rivalry.

There were no beanball wars, no late-inning heroics, not even a pregame hug between a general manager and free agent-to-be.

And despite a game-time temperature of 84 degrees and a chance to boo Ryan Theriot, the most improbable Cubs villain in years, there still were a few thousand no-shows out of the 32,559 tickets sold.

The once-heated rivalry has seemingly cooled off, as evidenced by the ho-hum reaction by fans to the Cubs' 9-1 loss to St. Louis.

"It's one of those things," Marlon Byrd said.

"You have your ups and downs. We need to hit that 'up' and keep it for a while, because we haven't been there."

The Cubs fell to 1,162-1,096 in the all-time series, which dates to 1892. With the Cardinals breaking the game open with a fiverun second and Theriot sitting out with an oblique strain, there was nothing to cheer and no one of importance to boo.

The Cubs hope to lure more fans into actually using their tickets this summer and have added promotions such as free T-shirts and cheaper beer and hot dogs. But until they improve their 8-12 record at home, all the promotions in the world are likely to fail.

» Tiger Woods couldn't finish his round at The Players Championship. Woods withdrew after nine holes of Thursday's opening round, his iniured left knee reducing him to a slow hobble as he played what would be his final holes.

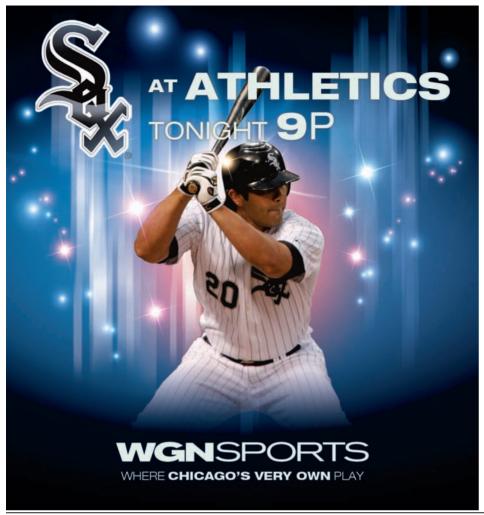
» Blackhawks forward Troy Brouwer, who missed the final three games of the regular season with a shoulder injury suffered April 5 after crashing into the boards, had surgery Tuesday. Team physician Michael Terry said in a statement that the Hawks expect a full recovery from the surgery to fix a right shoulder labral tear.

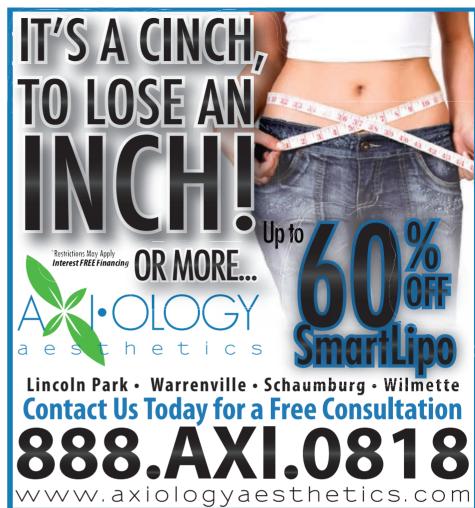
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#### MOVIES

**Paul Bettany** might not have a prayer in 'Priest.' page 31

## You want recommendations? We've got a few dozen ideas

We don't claim to have tried every burger in the city, but our staff (including critic to regular burger binges. As if people need another excuse to sink their teeth National Hamburger Month. Here are a few of our favorite spots for a ...

#### **By Metromix staff**

The Great Burgerelli) is pretty dedicated into a juicy patty of deliciousness, May is

# Burger & craft beer

#### **Small Bar**

1415 W. Fullerton Ave. 773-525-2727

Impeccably charred, perfectly seasoned and served on a cornmeal-dusted bun, this Lincoln Park bar's burgers are only improved upon with tall pint of beer on the side. Also served at the Ukrainian Village (2049 W. Division St. 773-772-2727)

Runner-up: Slagel Farms burger (\$14) at Owen & Engine (2700 N. Western Ave.

773-235-2930)

location.

### ate-night burger J. Wellington's

2045 W. North Ave. 773-687-9142

Why can't there be more BYOB burger joints slinging patties till 3 a.m. weekends like this Wicker Park spot named for Popeye's burger-loving sidekick J. Wellington Wimpy?

# Steakhouse burger

#### Chicago Cut Steakhouse

300 N. La Salle St. 312-329-1800

The 10-ounce patty on the Chicago Cut prime burger (\$12) earns its "prime" designation from a luxe composition of filet. tenderloin and other trimmings from the kitchen's stock of

Runner-up: The Rosebud burger (\$10.95) at Rosebud Steakhouse (192 E. Walton St. 312-397-1000). A slightly smaller version is offered during weekday lunch for \$5.

steak.

### Burger lunch in the Loop

#### Rudy's Bar & Grille

69 E. Madison St. 312-332-8111

> The pretzel-bun beauties at this burger-centric sibling to Pizano's are the perfect excuse to leave the office for a long lunch.

### Burger that belies its location

#### Flub a Dub Chubs

3021 N. Broadway, 773-857-6500

This no-frills subterranean grill in Lakeview is not the kind of place you'd expect to serve such thick and wellseasoned burgers (we like the Roe, \$8.25, with cheddar, avocado and bacon) sandwiched between fluffy pretzel buns. But it is, and it does.

#### Fast-food burger BARRY BRECHEIS

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# Turkey burger

#### **South Branch**

100 S. Wacker Drive. 312-546-6177

Mozzarella, avocado and cranberry aioli unite in gooey deliciousness on this riverside bar's turkey burger, called the Gobbler (\$10.99). It's also served at sibling spots Sweetwater (225 N. Michigan Ave. 312-698-7111) and The Boundary (1932 W. Division St. 773-278-1919).

**Runner-up:** The \$8 turkey burger at Birchwood Kitchen (2211 W. North Ave., 773-276-2100) served 5-9 p.m. Tuesday-Friday.

#### **Meet the Great Burgerelli**

If you haven't yet had the pleasure of his acquaintance, allow us to introduce you to our noble burger-loving critic, the Great Burgerelli. Read up on his latest burger reviews on metromix.com.

### Veggie burger

#### **Mana Food Bar**

1742 W. Division St. 773-342-1742

The signature mushroom-rice sliders (\$3.50 each) at this tiny Wicker Park eatery have made fans out of vegetarians and meat lovers alike. Dine early (4-6 p.m. daily) and score two sliders and a beer for \$7.50.

Runner-up: The \$4 veggie burger at Marble (3281 W. Armitage Ave. 773-252-9652)

### Staff favorites

# Lair of the Minotaur (\$13) at Kuma's Corner

2900 W. Belmont Ave. 773-604-8769

The pancetta, brie and caramelized onions make the ultimate indulgent flavor combo. Did we mention that whole delicious mess is topped with a bourbon-soaked pear? —ARIEL ALEXOVICH

#### Ace Burger (\$12) at Three Aces

1321 W. Taylor St. 312-243-1577

Two words: bacon jam. It's sweet. It's smoky. It might be the greatest invention ever. - MIKE RICH

#### Hamburger (\$15) at Hot Chocolate

1747 N. Damen Ave. 773-489-1747

I've loved this aged cheddar-, baconand fried egg-

topped burger since before everyone in town was peddling the same combo. **—LISA ARNETT** 



22 W. Hubbard St. 312-645-6000; 3700 N. Clark St. 773-645-4400

I'm not the type of person who feels \$19 is a reasonable cost for a burger and fries. But for this kobe beef burger dripping with brie, crispy shallots and date spread, I'm willing to pony up every time.

—GEORGIA GARVEY

#### Patty melt (\$7.55) at The Diner Grill

1635 W. Irving Park Road, 773-248-2030

This burger (add bacon) with perfectly crisped hash browns has saved my life on several occasions. I've never eaten it entirely sober, but I'm fairly certain it would still be delicious. –DANA KAVAN

#### The BBBest BBBurger (\$11) at Rocks

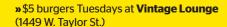
3463 N. Broadway, 773-472-0493; 1301 W. Schubert Ave. 773-472-7738

With bacon, blue cheese, sauteed spinach and buffalo sauce, it's one of my favorites in the city. As long as that's on the menu, I don't want to stop going back. —MATT PAIS

# One Eyed Runt (\$8.25) at J. Wellington's

2045 W. North Ave. 773-687-9142

Fried egg, applewood bacon, blue cheese and spicy mayo put it over the edge when slapped on top of that juicy, medium-cooked beef patty and just-right bun. —JESSICA GALLIART



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# **Get hands-on with Ethiopian**

Edgewater's Lalibela Restaurant is a homey place devoted to showing off Ethiopia's fascinating cuisine and a standout as a rare BYOB African restaurant. Given that Ethiopia is home to the coffee bean, honey and each of the Big Three religions, it should come as no surprise that the country also is home to a diverse cuisine that reflects its unique situation on the eastern border of Africa, only a few miles from the Middle East. Various sambusas (\$3.50 for two) reminds me of Indian samosas, and the kefta meatballs (\$4) will be familiar to anyone who likes Middle Eastern food.

Ethiopian food is well-seasoned and sometimes quite hot, thanks to a base spice mixture called berbere, but Lalibela does allow you to request milder versions. Many dishes are vegan, due to fasting days set by the Ethiopian Orthodox church. That's not to say, however, that there's no meat; served in the form of a stew (such as doro wat,

\$11.50, a spicy chicken dish) or sauteed in chunks (such as the lamb dish yebeg tibs, \$11.50). Meat platters come with a choice of sides, usually a lentil, collard or chickpea-based salad, and all dishes are served atop the ubiquitous injera, a spongy bread that doubles as a utensil. That's right: Go with friends, because you'll all be sharing and eating with your

Ethiopia's traditional beverage is tej. a honey wine that can be hard to track down. I recommend taking a chilled bottle of Wild Blossom Blanc de Fleur (\$15.99 at Andersonville Wine and Spirits, 5201 N. Clark St. 773-769-0858), a semisweet but crisp mead made in Beverly on the South Side. The delicate floral aromas will enhance the fragrant seasonings of the food, and the slight sweetness will help tame all that spice.

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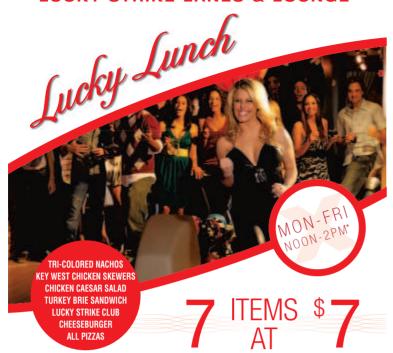
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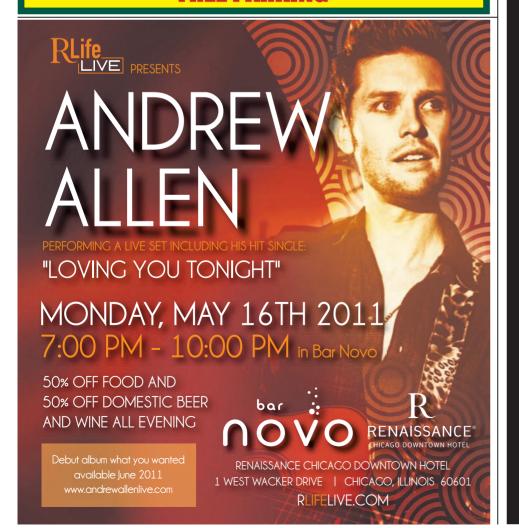
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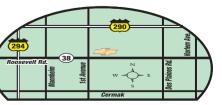


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Keb' Mo', Thursday, Oct. 6 (\$32.50-\$35, 17+) at House of Blues.

**Tim McGraw, Luke** Bryan, The Band

Perry, Saturday, July 16 (\$23.50-\$65, all ages) at First Midwest Bank Amphitheatre.

#### **ON SALE** 11 A.M. FRIDAY

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Mark Kozelek, Friday, July 8 (\$20, 21+) at Lincoln Hall.



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**ON SALE** 

Band of Horses, Friday, Aug. 26 (\$30.50-\$66.50, all ages) at First Midwest Bank Amphitheatre.

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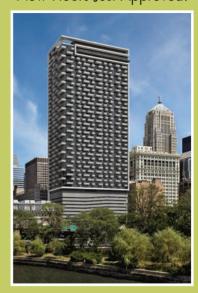


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#### The Fresno Bee

Vampires have been portrayed as hunky, angst-filled beautiful people in so many TV shows and movies in the past 10 years, they've lost a little of their bite. That changes with the new 3-D action film "Priest."

There'll be no Team Edward for these blood drinkers. The vamps in "Priest," which is based on the graphic novel series by Min-Woo Hyung and opens Friday, are so bad that the last pockets of humans have to live in walled cities just to survive. A short period of calm after the Vampire War is broken when the niece (Lily Collins) of a legendary vampire fighter (Paul Bettany) is kidnapped.

That leads Bettany to brutal battles with vampires.

"I was getting paid to run around and kill vampires, and every day was a great day, even days where I got damaged," Bettany said. "It just felt like a boyhood fantasy coming true."

Bettany's acting career has been a blend of action movies, such as "Legion" and "The Da Vinci Code," with the more cerebral roles in "The Young Victoria" and "Creation."

To make sure he could focus all his energy on the vampire fighting, Bettany went through the script and cut out every line of dialogue he felt wasn't needed.

"It often happens in scripts—because they're written by writers—that often the man of few words is written loads of dialogue. I love words, but the whole point is that this character is a man who doesn't say much. Everyone else does the talking, and I grunt and kill vampires," Bettany said.

The vampire warrior is joined on his

quiet quest by his niece's boyfriend (Cam Gigandet), a wasteland sheriff and a former warrior priestess (Maggie Q).

Gigandet, who played James in the definitive vampire angst film "Twilight," wasn't familiar with Hyung's series when he was cast.

"We all sat down with the graphic novel and put it side by side with the script. You have your visuals right there. It gave us the feel and the vibe of the story even before we started filming," Gigandet said.

What he found out was that unlike Bettany or Maggie Q, he didn't have to be a good fighter. His character tends to get beaten up a lot in the books and in the film.

And he gets beaten up by nasty vampires who don't sparkle in the sunlight.

"All I have to say is these vampires could kick sparkling vampires in the [bleep]," Gigandet said.

# TYPECAST?

Paul Bettany has been on a religious kick lately.

In last year's "Legion," he starred as an avenging archangel determined to protect the life of an infant as doomsday dawns, and in the blockbuster "The Da Vinci Code," he portrayed a murderous albino monk whose extreme faith demands he whip himself bloody to atone for his sins.

Now he's starring in "Priest," playing a laconic warrior with a cross tattooed on his face, a man who channels divine power to combat vampires. So what exactly is it that draws Bettany to such dark, religious-themed fare?

"It's entirely coincidental," said Bettany, 39. "But I swear to God, this is the last time. If they make a sequel to this, of course I'll do it, but it's the last time I take on a religious theme." LOS ANGELES TIMES



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# **Ferrell hits bottom** in unexpected ways

It's not a good day for recovering alcoholic Nick (Will Ferrell): After he's fired, he arrives

**Everything** Must Go

home to find his wife gone, the locks changed and all his possessions on the lawn. While the cops tell him he can't live in his yard, Nick befriends his new neighbor (Re-

becca Hall) and enlists local kid Kenny (Christopher Jordan Wallace) to watch his stuff.

The buzz: Perpetual goofball Ferrell has gone serious a few times ("Stranger Than Fiction," "Winter Passing"), but he's never before starred as someone so broken. If you think the movie sounds like an ordinary indie, well it's indeed not an original story: Writer-director Dan Rush's feature debut is adapted from Raymond Carver's short story "Why Don't You Dance?"

**The verdict:** Like the outside of a house. "Everything Must Go" looks a lot more generic than it is. Yes, Rush sprinkles in an obligatory discussion of what is "normal" and a twist the movie should have avoided. The movie mostly isn't what you expect, though; it glides along a relaxed, non-pushy vibe that doesn't overwork to be funny or genuine. So when Nick and Kenny share a round of "Yo Mama" jokes or Nick reconnects with an old classmate (Laura Dern), "Everything Must Go" feels natural and vulnerable. Nick's ultimately searching for the keepers among the clutter while trying to prove where he belongs, and isn't that what we're all

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- Incendies (R) 2:15,5:10,8:45 Win Win (R) 1:30,4:15,7:10,9:45

- Win Win (H) 1:30,4:15,7:10,9:45 Hesher (R) 1:50,4:35,7:20,9:50 The Double Hour (NR) 1:40,4:05,7:00,9:20 The Princess of Montpensier (NR) 2:10,5:20,8:30 The Beaver (PG-13) 2:00,4:30,7:15,9:40 Everything Must Go (R) 1:45,4:40,7:30,10:00

#### CITY NORTH 14 (REGAL)

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- Pirates of the Caribbean: On Stranger Tides (PG-13

- Pirates of the Caribbean: On Stranger Tides (PG-13) Advance Tickets Available

  \*\*The Hangover Part II (R) Advance Tickets Available

  \*\*Kung Fu Panda 2 (PG) Advance Tickets Available

  \*\*Priest 3D (PG-13) 12:03.030.05.308.00.10:30

   Priest (PG-13) 1:15,3:45,6:15,8:45,11:15

  \*\*Go for II\* (PG-13) 1:20.02.230.545.83.03.01:10

   Bridesmaids (R) 12:50,1:45,4:00,4:45,7:00,7:45,10:00,10:45

  \*\*Rio 3D (G) 12:15,3:15,6:30,9:15

  \*\*Thor 19(PG-13) 1:30,7:30

  \*\*Thor (PG-13) 1:30,7:30

  \*\*Thor (PG-13) 2:30,9:45

  \*\*Thor (PG-13) 2:00,0:45,4:25,5:00,6:00,8:20,9:00,10:40

  \*\*Thor (PG-13) 3:00,9:45

  \*\*Thor (PG-13) 1:10,4:35,7:40,10:50

#### DAVIS THEATRE (VALUE)

4614 N. Lincoln Ave., Chicago (773) 784-0893

- Thor (PG-13) ★ 5:15,7:40,10:10 Fast Five (PG-13) 4:40,7:15,10:00 Water for Elephants (PG-13) 4:50,7:20,9:50 Rio (G) 5:00,7:10,9:20

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- Priest (PG-13) ◆ 11:05,12:15,1:30,2:45,3:55,5:20,6:30,7:40,9:10,10:20

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   Go for It! (PG-13) 11:15,1:45,4:10,6:55,9:25
   Thor (PG-13) 11:10,1:55,4:35,7:10,9:50
   Something Borrowed (PG-13) 11:40,2:10,5:00,7:25,10:10
   Thor 3D (PG-13) ◆ 11:45,2:25,5:05,7:45,10:25
   Jumping the Broom (PG-13) 11:20,12:10,2:15,2:55,4:55,5:30,7:35,8:10,10:15,10:45
   Fast Five (PG-13) ◆ 10:45,12:30,1:50,3:40,4:40,6:40,7:30,9:55,10:30
- Tyler Perry's Madea's Big Happy Family (PG-13) 10:50.1:45.4:30.7:15.10:05
- **Insidious** (PG–13) 11:00,1:35,4:05,6:45,9:15 **Rio** (G) 11:35,2:05,4:45,7:20,9:40

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- Diary of a Wimpy Kid: Rodrick Rules (PG)
  1:00,3:00,5:00,7:00,9:00
   No Eres Tú, Soy Yo (PG-13) 1:30,3:30,5:30,7:30,9:00
   Hanna (PG-3) 1:20,3:30,5:40,7:50,10:00
   Hop (PG) 1:40,3:40,5:50

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- Meek's Cutoff (PG) 2:45 5:00 7:20 9:40
- Cueen to Play (NR) 3:00,5:15,7:30,9:45
   Friday the 13th (R) 12:00 Midnight
   Stake Land (NR) 12:00 Midnight

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- AMC Independent I Am (NR) 5:10,7:45,10:20
- AMC Independent Potiche (R) 4:45,7:25,9:55
   AMC Independent Jane Eyre (PG-13) 4:30,7:10,10:10
   AMC Independent Cedar Rapids (R) 5:00,7:35,9:45

#### **RIVER EAST 21 (AMC)**

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- Show times change daily
- AMC Independent The Beaver (PG-13) ◆ 11:50,2:05, 4:25,6:55,9:20,11:35

  AMC Independent Everything Must Go (R) 11:20, 1:50,4:20,7:05,9:35,1:55

  Priest (PG-13) 11:30,2:00,4:30,7:00,9:30,1:200

  Bridesmaids (R) ◆ 10:00,1:15,4:15,7:30,10:40

  Bridesmaids (R) ◆ 11:00,2:15,5:15,8:30,11:40

  Priest 3D (PG-13) 10:30,1:00,3:30,6:00,8:30,1:1:55

  Go for ltt (PG-13) 11:15,1:45,4:20,6:45,9:15,11:50

  Thor (PG-13) 4:10:15,1:45,4:20,6:45,9:15,11:50

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   AMC Independent There Be Dragons (PG-13) 10:55,1:55,5:05,8:05,11:05
   Thor 3D (PG-13) 11:00,11:45,12:30,2:00,2:45,3:30,5:00,5:45,6:30,8:00,8:45,9:30,11:00,11:45
   AMC Independent Cave of Forgotten Dreams 3D (G) 10:05,12:35,3:00,5:25,7:50,10:20
   Fast Five (PG-13) + 11:10,2:10,5:10,8:10,11:10
   Tyler Perry's Madea's Big Happy Family (PG-13) 11:05,4:35,1:0:05
   Water for Elephants (PG-13) 11:25,2:20,5:20,8:25,11:15
   Rio 3D (G) 10:25,1:05,3:45,6:20,9:00,11:30
   Tiles Pinch State (PG-13) 11:25,2:20,5:20,8:25,11:15

- Rio 3D (G) 10:25,1:05,3:45,6:20,9:00,11:30
   Hanna (PG-13) 1:55,7:20
   Source Code(PG-13) ◆10:20,12:50,3:20,5:50,8:20,10:50

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- Priest (PG-13) 11:30,2:00,4:30,7:00,9:30,12:00

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   MC Independent The Beaver (PG-13) 11:45,2:15,
  4:40,7:05,9:35,12:05
   Bridesmaids (R) 10:00,1:10,4:25,7:30,10:40
   Bridesmaids (R) 11:00,2:10,5:25,8:30,11:40
   Bridesmaids (R) 11:00,2:10,5:25,8:30,11:30
   Gro it! (PG-13) 10:45,1:15,4:00,6:30,9:05,11:30
   Gro for it! (PG-13) 11:40,2:55,5:20,8:15,11:15
   Thor (PG-13) 11:30,2:35,5:20,8:15,11:15
   Thor (PG-13) 11:35,7:15
   Something Borrowed (PG-13) 11:35,2:20,5:00,7:50,10:20
   MC Independent There Be Dragons (PG-13)
   10:25,1:20,4:10,7:20,10:10
   Jumping the Broom (PG-13) 11:25,2:20,5:15,8:05,11:00
   Thor 3D (PG-13) 10:40,1:23,5:24,2:06,1:50,7:45,10:45
   Thor: An IMAX 3D Experience (PG-13) 11:10,2:05,4:50,7:45,10:45
   Fast Five (PG-13) 11:15,2:25,5:35,8:40,11:55
   Prom (PG) 4:35 P.M.
   Tyler Perry's Madea's Big Happy Family (PG-13) 10:35,4:15,9:45
   Water for Elephants (PG-13) 10:30,1:40,4:30,7:25,10:35
   Insidious (PG-13) 1:30,7:10
   Rio 3D (G) 11:55,2:30,4:55,7:35,10:05

#### WEBSTER PLACE 11 (REGAL)

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- Pirates of the Caribbean: On Stranger Tides (PG-13) Advance Tickets Available
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  Thor 3D (PG–13) 1:50,3:40,4:40,6:20,7:20,9:10,10:10

  Priest 3D (PG–13) 5:40,7:50,10:00

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- Forks Over Knives (PG) 2:30,5:00,7:30,10:05
- Jumping the Broom (PG-13) 1:40,4:15,7:15,9:50

  Thor (PG-13) 1:10,3:10,4:10,6:00,7:00,8:50,9:40

  Something Borrowed (PG-13) 1:15,4:00,6:50,9:30

  Water for Elephants (PG-13) 1:00,3:45,6:45,9:45

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- Priest (PG-13) 10:00,12:20,2:30,4:55,7:25,9:40,12:00
- Bridesmaids (R) 10:30,1:30,4:30,7:30,7:30,10:30 Priest 3D (PG-13) 10:45,1:00,3:15,5:35,8:00,10:25,12:30 Go for ltl (PG-13) 10:45,1:00,3:15,5:35,8:00,10:25,12:30 Thor (PG-13) 10:15,12:55,3:35,6:15,9:05,11:45
- Something Borrowed (PG-13) 11:101:45,420,7:05,9:30,11:50

  Jumping the Brom(PG-13) 10:35,1:15,3:55,6:35,9:10,11:40

  Thor 3D (PG-13) 11:00,1:55,4:50,7:45,10:30
- Jumping the Brown (PG-13) 11:35,2:15,5:00,7:40,10:15

  Fast Five (PG-13) 10:40,11:20,12:00,1:35,2:20,3:00,4:25,
  5:15,6:00,7:35,8:15,9:00,10:35,11:10,11:55
- Tyler Perry's Madea's Big Happy Family (PG-13) 11:15,1:50,4:45,7:20,9:50,12:20 Rio (G) 10:25,12:40,3:05,5:30,7:50,10:20

#### SHOWPLACE CICERO 14 (AMC)

- Bridesmaids (R) 11:30.2:20.5:00.7:50.10:35
- Priest (PG-13) 10:30,12:30,3:00,7:30,8:00,10:30

  Priest 3D (PG-13) 11:00,1:30,4:00,6:30,9:00,11:15

  Go for It! (PG-13) 10:30,12:45,3:05,5:25,7:55,10:25
- Thor (PG-13) 12:15,3:15,6:15,9:15
   Something Borrowed(PG-13) 11:05,1:35,3:55,6:35,9:05
   Thor 3D (PG-13) 10:15,11:15,1:15,2:15,4:15,5:15,7:15,8:15, 10:15,11:05
- Jumping the Broom (PG-13) 10:45,11:45,1:25,2:25, 4:05.5:05,6:45,7:45,9:45,10:45
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  Hoodwinked Too! Hood vs. Evil (PG) 2:10 P.M.

  Fast Five (PG-13) 11:10,5:10,8:10,11:00

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- Tyler Perry's Madea's Big Happy Family (PG-13) 10:50.1:20.3:50.6:20.8:50.11:10 ■ **Rio** (G) 11:35,1:55,4:25,6:50,9:20

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- /:10,8:30,9:30,10:50 Bridesmaids (R) ★ 10:20,12:15,1:10,3:10,4:00,6:00,7:00, 9:00,10:00,12:00

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@Krypto13: Thor -Great Odin's beard! The God of Thunder starts the summer season off with style. I say thee... YAY!

@b4real11: I just recently seen Thor in 3D let me tell you the 3D experience was good it really helps the plot ...

@MarkBeers: Thor: An epic tale worthy of the god of Thunder! Too bad Portman's character was lame.

@mistahclutch: saw thor in ultra xxl 3d. It was awesometastic! And holy crap, the destroyer! Must see this in theatres.

#### @vincentanzalone:

Thor: gorgeous digital scenery, lead actor IS Thor, steady pacing. It won't win Oscars but it will entertain all ages safely, 3/5 stars

@silkysoul: Thor: 50 years of Marvel Comics Thor mythology "Hulk-smashed" into a movie screenplay. Good intro but hasty.

#### @vaughnchicago:

Thor was just plain weak. I have watched paint dry for less than \$9.50 and was more captivated. There's nothing MIGHTY here.



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@wtimadams: Fast 5 was fast... and FURIOUS!

@TheEventJunkie: Fast Five: Action Packed! Vin Diesel fighting The Rock +Brazil = WIN!

**@vincentanzalone:** Fast 5: most violent one yet set in favelas of Rio. If you liked any of the other F&F movies, u'll like it. Stay til credits end. 3/5 stars

#### **OTHERS**

@Kate\_Woodward: Saw #Something Borrowed. Screw the critics- I loved it! Ginn, Kate, handsome whatshisfacenewguy, Jim from the office. So fun!

#### @NGHahn3:

have you seen @ThereBeDragons yet? Roland Joffe really hit the mark on this one.



#### THE REAVER

@Ms\_SilverScreen: The Beaver ends, credits roll, and somewhere Mel Gibson is throwing his arms up and shouting "Ta-dal?"

@katiekapoww: The Beaver is art imitating life. Mel Gibson's life, to be exact. Valiant effort by Jodie Foster.



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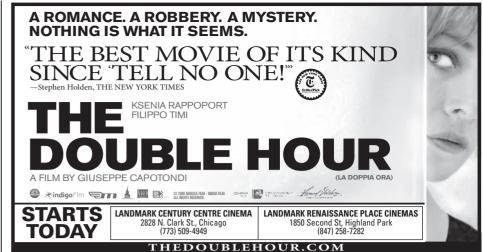




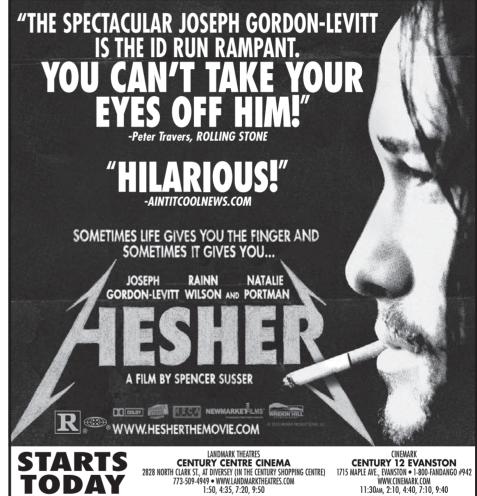
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'Meek's Cutoff'

(PG)

when Stephen Meek (Bruce Greenwood), who is guiding three families (including Michelle Williams, Paul Dano, Will Patton and Zoe Kazan) across a wagon trail, gets them lost without any sense of when they'll find water again.

The verdict: No one creates desperately realistic circumstances like director Kelly Reichardt, who taps into every small task crucial to her characters' process: washing a bowl, gathering water, lifting buckets over the head to cross a river. No, "Oregon Trail" fans, nobody dies of dysentery or suffers a snakebite, but a wagon does break an axle. Reichardt normally works with fewer people onscreen; this time, the quantity of characters prevents us from getting close to every-

one. In long takes that show the future isn't exactly racing to anyone who doesn't have the basic needs for living, the movie explores faith's fundamental principles with weary focus. "Meek's Cutoff," certainly a deliberate title for a story touching on fear of the unknown (at what point do the struggling give up?), is the human experience stripped to its bones. MATT PAIS IS REDEYE'S MOVIE CRITIC.



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# This show's a no-go

Carmen (Aimee Garcia) considers leaving her Logan Square-based dance crew

'Go For It'



for a dance school in California at the suggestion of

a teacher (Al Bandiero).
Carmen's friend Gina (Gina Rodriguez) makes some sassy comments. And so forth. Bleak and relentlessly cliche, "Go For It!" would at least join the list of mediocre coming-of-age movies featuring great dancing if not for its poorly rendered glimpses of casual racism, domestic violence and infidelity. Talk about an ill-advised exclamation point.



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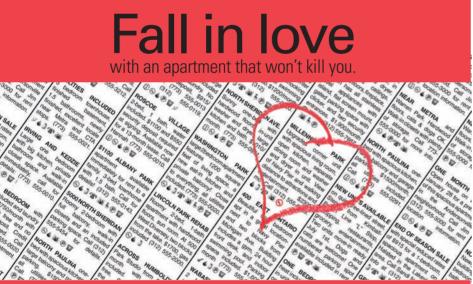
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# Gordon-Levitt keeps 'em guessing

#### MCT

Joseph Gordon-Levitt has been snagging important roles in big-scale movies lately: "G.I. Joe," "Inception," "The Dark Knight Rises," the upcoming Bruce Willis sci-fi action movie "Looper" and Steven Spielberg's "Lincoln," a biopic in which he'll play Robert, the president's estranged eldest son.

The 30-year-old actor also finds time for more modest efforts. In the dramedy "Hesher," opening Friday, he co-stars with Natalie Portman, Rainn Wilson, Piper Laurie and Devin Brochu as a longhaired vagrant who becomes an adolescent boy's morally ambiguous mentor.

Gordon-Levitt, who spent five years playing a teen alien in the hit comedy "Third Rock From the Sun," has made a point of seeking image-changing roles in his film career. He played a juvenile mental inmate in "Manic," a gay hustler in "Mysterious Skin," and the brain-damaged fall guy in the heist thriller "The Lookout." But he has never played a character as extreme, near-cartoonish and challenging to audiences as Hesher, a serial arsonist and all-around wild man.

"My favorite actors are the chameleons, the ones who disappear into a different character every time," Gordon-Levitt said. "What's so cool about this character is his surface is very rough and there really is quite a human story underneath. It's not just the same shtick."

Hesher is a term for a grungy, mullet-wear-

ing rock 'n' roll headbanger. The role got under his skin.

"When you're playing a character who's detached and disinhibited, you have to be detached and disinhibited," he said. "I think it's healthy. In our culture we're highly concerned with what everyone thinks of us. To spend some time in the shoes of somebody who just lives in the present moment was very good for me."

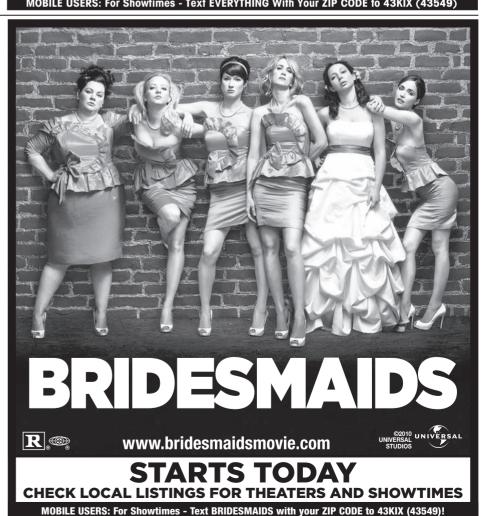
The film was co-written by its director, Spencer Susser, and David Michod, a longtime stunt coordinator. As might be expected, it's chock full of risky-looking action sequences. For one scene, Gordon-Levitt doused a diving board with charcoal lighter, set it aflame, and spent a couple of hours jumping off the burning platform into a swimming pool.

"That was a great day," he said. "The producers didn't want me to do it, they wanted a stunt guy. I told them that was ridiculous. It'll be so much better if I do it."

"I'm a big believer in giving a performance with your whole body," he said. "Hollywood weighs so heavily on the close-up, on the face and eyes. That's important, but finding how somebody walks or stands or takes a fall is key to a thoroughly human character.

"For me, any good day at the movies is about a story and people I can relate to. Does it touch the human core of us? Whether it's in a movie like 'Inception' or a movie like 'Hesher,' it comes down to the same thing."







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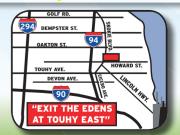
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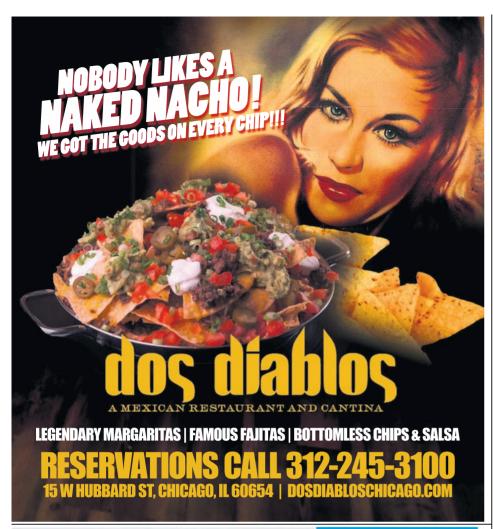




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# READY FOR ACTION

Which A-list actresses "The Mummy" star Rachel Weisz might be returning to the world of blockbusters: Deadline.com says are ditching Oscar the Oscar winner is in "deeper talks" to star as a "Bourne girl" in the coming reboot of the action flick material for roles franchise alongside Oscar nominee Jeremy Renner, who will play a different covert operative than Matt in blockbusters? Damon's Jason Bourne. If a deal is sealed, she would join a growing list of leading ladies tapped for Hollywood's marquee action franchises who bring serious dramatic chops to more popcorn-y fare. REDEVE, TRIBUNE

RACHEL WEISZ Blockbuster role:

Being considered to

star opposite "Hurt

Locker" star Jeremy

Renner in "The Bourne Legacy'

**Dramatic chops:** 

for her role in the

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# UPCOMING EVENTS AT ENCLAVE





#### Take that, Kanye

Amber Rose knows people say her new boyfriend, Wiz Khalifa, is a step down from her ex, Kanye West. She begs to differ. "The only question I can ask them is:



Rose

Have you ever dated Kanye?" Rose told King Magazine. "Because I have, and believe me, I did not downgrade at all. Not in any aspect, at all." Day-um!

#### Off again

Leonardo DiCaprio and supermodel Bar Refaeli have called it quits after dating on and off for five years, people.com reports. Leo, at least, seems to be handling the breakup well: The website also reports

that Wednesday, Leo and actor pals Lukas Haas and Emile Hirsch enjoyed a variety show featuring "dancing Oompa Loompas. live monkeys, goats and exotic burlesque dancers," presented by David Arguette. Are we sure that wasn't a Stefon "SNL" sketch?

DiCaprio

#### **Kutcher's back**

Are we being punk'd? Ashton Kutcher is on the verge of replacing Charlie Sheen in the cast of "Two and a Half Men," thr.com reported Thursday, citing unnamed sources. If this seems like a strange career move for Mr. Demi Moore, remember that we all came to love-or at least tolerate-him as Michael on "That '70s Show.'

#### Silly Willy

This time, it's Will Ferrell who's following in Tina Fey's footsteps. The funnyman will be bestowed with the Mark Twain Prize for American Humor on Oct. 23, an honor Fev won last year. eonline.com reports. "I will now begin cultivating a Mark Twainesque moustache in anticipation of the event," Ferrell joked.

#### THE DIGIT

That's how many weeks-exactly one year-Katy Perry has had at least one song in the top 10 on the Billboard Hot 100. She is the first woman in the chart's 50-yearplus history to accomplish that feat.







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